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Wyo. National Guard DDR team to participate in Camp P.O.S.T.C.A.R.D.

CHEYENNE – Members from the Wyoming National Guard's Drug Demand Reduction team will support Camp P.O.S.T.C.A.R.D. at Casper Mountain, Wyo., June 10 - 15.

Camp P.O.S.T.C.A.R.D. is a week long camp for fifth- and sixth-graders from around the State of Wyoming. Military day will be June 12 which will include a Blackhawk static display, Army recruiting, the Highway Patrol Seatbelt Simulator, along with other demonstrations as well.

Some goals of the camp are to build valuable relationships between adult mentors and Wyoming children; empower children to make the right choices – especially to avoid the use of tobacco, alcohol and other drugs; and demonstrate the power of teamwork and trust.

The DDR team works by using activity-based curriculum to teach drug education. There will be various team building activities for the student to participate in throughout the week. These activities focus on the life skills necessary to lead positive, drug free, healthy lifestyles.

"The National Guard wants to give back to their communities, one way of accomplishing this is by giving Wyoming's youth the knowledge and confidence necessary to make good decisions to avoid drugs and alcohol," said Capt. Eric Green, DDR operations officer.

